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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

For the concise explanation of relevance for JP 59-123986A and DE 3,637,684, the Examiner is referred to the respective English-language abstracts attached thereto.

For the concise explanation of relevance of JPU 3071329, the Examiner is referred to corresponding U.S. Patent Application Publication 2001/0017616. For the concise explanation of relevance of JP 4-88547A, the Examiner is referred to the English language Abstract and corresponding EP 0469581.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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